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TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UN DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (D CONCERNING A FILING UNDER 35	72061 Vs. 4 4 4 5 5 7 4 6			
INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. PCT/IT2005/000036				
TITLE OF INVENTION METHOD AND DEVICE FOR HANDLING	A TUBULAR KNITTED ARTICLE, IN I	PARTICULAR A SOCK		
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US GRASSI et al.				

Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:

- This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371. 1. [X] This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.
- 2. [X]
- This express request to begin national examination procedures (35 U.S.C. 371(f) at any time rather than delay 3. [X] examination until the expiration of the applicable time limit set in 35 U.S.C. 371(b) and PCT Articles 22 and
- A proper Demand for International Preliminary Examination was made by the 19th month from the earliest 4. [] claimed priority date.
- A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(C)(2))
 - a. [] is transmitted herewith (required only If not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - has been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).
- A translation of the International Application into English (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). -6. [X]
- Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))
 - a. [] are transmitted herewith (required only if not transmitted by the International Bureau).
 - b. [] have been transmitted by the International Bureau.
 - c. [] have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.
 - d. [] have not been made and will not be made.
- A translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). 8. []
- 9. [X] An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).
- A translation of the annexes to the International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT Article 36 (35 10.[] U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).

Items 11. to 16. below concern other documents (s) or information included:

- An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98 11. [X]
- An assignment document for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is 12. [X] included.
- A FIRST preliminary amendment. 13. [X]
 - A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment.
- A substitute specification. 14.[]
- 15.[] A change of power of attorney and/or address letter.
- 16. [X] Other items or information: Formal Drawings (22 sheets) Copy of Express Mail Receipt No. EV435294408US Copies of Cited References (2) Credit Card Payment Form

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[] Additional fee for specification and drawings filed in paper over 100 sheets (excluding sequence listing in compliance with 37 CFR 1.821© or (e) or computer program listing in an electronic medium) (37 CFR 1.492(j)). The fee is \$250.00 for each additional 50 sheets of paper or fraction thereof.								
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TOTAL NATIONAL FEE =					\$ 1,600.00			
Fee for recording the enclosed assignment (37 CFR 1.21(h)). The assignment must be accompanied by an appropriate cover sheet (37 CFR 3.28, 3.31). \$40.00 per property					\$ 40.00			
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